DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—The lands are being prepared for sowing in all Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks, Paddy, in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur and Nelamangala Taluks, Natragi in parts of Hoskote and Devanhalli Taluks and Maize in parts of Devanhalli Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Til is being sown in parts of Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. *The prospects of the season* are fair. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy except for 'chappe-roga' in parts of Bangalore and Kankanhalli Taluks.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Til and same in parts of Bowringpet, Malur, Mulbagal and Chintamani Taluks are sown.

Crops harvested and their out turn.—Nil.

Standing crops.—The standing crops such as Vaishakhi paddy, sugar-cane and jola are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. The recent rains have improved the situation.

Prices of food grains.—Stationary.

Labour.—Sufficient for the cooly classes for the present.

11. *Cattle.*—Healthy.

Pasture, fodder and drinking water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Til in parts of Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. Groundnut in parts of Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks. Ragi in parts of Sira Taluk, jola in parts of Gubbi and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. Paddy in parts of Kunigal Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. Black and green gram in parts of Tiptur Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk yield 8 annas. Cotton in parts of Sira Taluk yield 8 annas. Sugar-cane in parts of Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, jola and ragi are reported to be in fair condition in all parts of the District.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all parts of the District.

Water and fodder are reported to be available in all parts of the District, except in parts of Pavagada Taluk, where water difficulty is reported to be continuing.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Chamarajnagar and Malavalli Taluks; kulthi and green-gram are sown in parts of Yadatore Taluk for purposes of manure.

Standing crops.—Jola, sugar-cane, cotton, mulberry, castor, togari, groundnut, til, ragi, avare and tadagani are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Groundnut, black and green gram in parts of Seringapatam Taluk and jola, til, togari, tadagani and ragi in parts of Krishnarajapete Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. *Prospects of the season*—Are good.

11. Water and fodder are available and cattle are reported to be healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Ploughing operations*—Are going on in parts of the Manjarabad, Arkalgud, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks; paddy and ragi in the Taluk of Hassan and Belur and in Alur Sub-Taluk; paddy in parts of Manjarabad Taluk; cotton, gingelley and cholam in the Belur Taluk; til, cotton, cholam and ragi in the Arsikere Taluk; and til, cholam, green gram, sanabu and dry paddy (ಖ ಭತ್ತ) in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk, are being sown.

Standing crops.—Carpaddy and sugar-cane in the Taluks of Hassan and Channarayapatna, ragi, paddy and sugar-cane in the Arkalgud Taluk, and sugar-cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. *Prospects of the season*—are reported to be good.

Cattle are reported to be healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing is going on in all parts of the District.

Seeds sown.—Paddy in parts of Shimoga, Channagiri, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Nagar, Tirthahalli and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk. Til, green gram and groundnut in Honnali are being sown.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the Taluks and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi and Vaishaki paddy in parts of Sagar Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are reported to be available in all the Taluks.

Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in the villages of Kommanahal, Holalur, Kurubaravitalapura, Gopala, Bilale Dhombarabhyranahalli, Kadakal, Gajanur of Shimoga Taluk, in parts of Channagiri Taluk, Govinkovi, Taraganahalli, Hosahalli, and Lingapur of Honnali Talulk in parts of Kasaba, Hosur, Udagani, Talagunda hoblis of Shikarpur Taluk, in Sarula, Nekragodu, Mandagadde, Demalapur of Tirthahalli Taluk, in parts of Kumsi Sub-Taluk. (ಗಂಟ್ಲು ಕಟ್ಟುವ ರೋಗ) is prevailing in Mattikoppa village of Sagar Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in Tarikere and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown—Chikmagalur—Paddy, ragi, and til, Mudgere—Paddy, Narasimharajapura—Paddy.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—Sugar-cane and kodepaddy, Kadur—Sugar-cane, Mudgere—Kode paddy, Narasimharajapura—Sugar-cane.

Crops harvested.—Kadur—Sugar-cane, Tarikere—Sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season good, Food grains are available, but their prices continue to be high.

11. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in the village of Doranalu and in Narasimharajapura and Harandur of the Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk. It is reported that Doddaroga is subsiding in the villages of Hirenallur, Kadur Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and made ready for sowing purposes.

Standing crops are paddy, cotton, navane, sugar-cane, kadle, jola and togari. They are reported to be in fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Chitaldrug Taluk—Til, jola togari and cotton. Challakere Taluk—Gidda ragi, castor, til, togari, mungar jola and groundnut. Hiriyur Taluk—Jola, and til. Holalkere Taluk—Jola, til, groundnut, togari and doddahatti (a variety of cotton). Davangere Taluk—Groundnut. Molakalmuru Taluk—Til and castor. Jagalur Taluk—Castor and groundnut. Hosadurga Taluk—Jola and til. Harihar Sub-Taluk—Groundnut.

Crops harvested.—Chitaldrug Taluk—Paddy 8 annas; Challakere Taluk—Paddy 8 to 12 annas; Hiriyur Taluk—Paddy 6 to 8 annas; Holalkere Taluk—Paddy 8 annas; Molkalmuru Taluk—Paddy 8 to 10 annas; Jagalur Taluk—Paddy 8 to 10 annas.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Labour is generally available.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Chitaldrug, Holalkere, Davangere and Harihar Sub-Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspectors are taking needful action.

Water and fodder are available.

OFFICE OF THE REVENUE COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE,
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M. CHENNARAJ URS,
Assistant Commissioner,
For *Revenue Commissioner,*
absent from the station.